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Applicant : Marc M. Jalisi et al. Filed : December 22, 1999

Title COMPOSITE GUIDEWIRE WITH DRAWN AND FILLED TUBE CONSTRUCTION

Art Unit : 3763

Examiner : Elizabeth MacNeill

Docket No.: : ACSG-58267 (G1513USP1)

Customer No. : 24201 April 7, 2008

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

MS: Appeal Brief Patents Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Applicants hereby request an oral hearing of the Appeal in this application.

2. TERM FOR REQUEST

The Examiner's answer was mailed on February 6, 2008 and the term for filing the request is two month from that mailing date. Accordingly, this request has been timely made.

3. REAL PARTY IN INTEREST

The real party in interest in this appeal is the following party: Advanced Cardiovascular Systems, Inc., 3200 Lakeside Drive, Santa Clara, California 95054.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is \$1,030.00

It is respectfully requested that this Request for Oral Hearing be entered and the fee paid by credit card with this electronic transmission. The commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 06-2425.

Respectfully submitted,

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